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ALBANY, ALABAMA, TUESDAY, AUGUST 20, 1918.

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U-BOAT CHASE EXTENDS TO DRYLAND

CAPTAIN OF HUN
RAIDER IS SIGHTED
GULPING BEER IN
GOTHAM SALOON

SOLDIER'S TROUSERS AND EFFECTS FOUND ON DECATUR RIVER BRIDGE

Private Chapman May Have Ended Life or
Worked a Suicide "Plant."

The body of Private Clyde W. Chapman, Camp Greenleaf, Chickamauga Park, either lies at the bottom of the Tennessee river opposite Decatur, or the young man departed a suicide "plant" and went on his way rejoicing, according to evidence discovered near the third pier on the north side of the bridge by Bridge Watchman O. L. Brown this morning.

About 10 a. m. today Mr. Brown noticed letters and clothing blowing about on the bridge and others in the waters and notified Chief Riggsbee of the Decatur police force who gathered up the remains which consisted of one shoe, two top shirts, one union suit, six handkerchiefs, one pair of blue pants, one belt with gold

buckle on which was engraved the name "Clyde." Several letters addressed to Clyde W. Chapman, Detention Camp, Bn., No. 15, Co. 4, Camp Greenleaf, Chickamauga Park, Ga.

One of the letters written by Clara Phan, and dated Stonewall, Okla., is evidently from a married sister, as a baby's scrawl is enclosed with the following notation written by an older hand: "This is from Clyde to his Uncle Clyde."

No action has been taken by the local police other than to arrange that the sister and the authorities at Chickamauga Park be notified. Chapman's effects will be held pending word from his people.

RAINBOW DIVISION LAUDED IN CITATION BY GENERAL DUPORT

General Order No. 50, in which Gen. Duport, commanding the Sixth Army Corps, lauds the Rainbow Division, has been received here by Mrs. Otho Humphries, having been forwarded by her husband, Lieut. Humphries, now in an American hospital overseas recovering from wounds recently received.

The order, in full, follows:

Hq. June 15, 1918.

6th Army Corps.
Staff.
1st Bureau.
No. 3243-1.

General Orders No. 50

At the moment when the 42nd U. S. Infantry Division is leaving the Lorraine front, the commanding general of the 6th Army Corps desires to do homage to the fine military qualities which it has continuously exhibited, and to the services which it has rendered in the Baccarat sector.

The offensive ardor, the sense for the utilization and the organization of terrain as for the liaison of the arms, the spirit of method, the discipline shown by all its officers and men, the inspiration animating them, prove that at the first call, they can henceforth take a glorious place in

the new line of battle.

The commanding general of the 6th Army Corps expresses his deepest gratitude to the 42nd Division for its precious collaboration; he particularly thanks the distinguished commander of this division, General Menoher, the officers under his orders and his staff so brilliantly directed.

It is with a sincere regret that the entire 6th Army Corps sees the 42nd Division depart. But the bonds of affectionate comradeship which have been formed here will not be broken; for us, in faithful memory, are united the living and the dead of the Rainbow Division, those who are leaving for hard combats and those who, after having nobly sacrificed their lives on the land of the East, now rest there, guarded over piously by France.

These sentiments of warm esteem will be still more deeply affirmed, during the impending struggles where the fate of Free Peoples is to be decided.

May our units, side by side, contribute valiantly to the triumph of Justice and of Right:

GENERAL DUPORT,
Commanding the 6th Army Corps.

(Signed) DUPORT.

STEEL TRUST IS BACK OF MOVE TO DRAFT STRIKERS —CHARGES MORRISON

(International News Service)

Washington, Aug. 20.—The U. S. Steel Corporation and the Colorado Steel Co., are behind the proposed amendment to the new manpower

bill that would draft striking workingmen in essential industry into military service, Frank Morrison of the American Federation of Labor charged this afternoon before the House military affairs committee.

ROBT. COUCH, LOCAL BOY WITH THE CANADIANS, WOUNDED IN ACTION

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SLEUTHS ON TRAIL OF PACIFIST GROUP

(International News Service)

Chicago, Aug. 20.—The department of justice has learned that the "Fellowship of Reconciliation," a pacifist group with headquarters here, has ramifications in various parts of the United States. Federal agents have been investigating the society for some time and it is learned that it is the successor of the "American Liberty Defense League" forced to disband some time ago.

The membership list seized by the officials is headed by the name of Jane Addams, of Hull House.

Lieut. Col. Bare

Gassed by Huns

Gadsden, Ala., Aug. 20.—Lieut. Col. W. E. Bare, of the 167th infantry, now in France, has been gassed by the Germans, according to information received here today.

Young Couch joined the Canadian contingent prior to America's entry into the war, and arrived overseas last December. He has taken part in a number of the engagements in which the Canadian troops distinguished themselves for gallantry.

GERMAN WORKMEN
ARE LOSING HEART

(International News Service)

The Hague, Aug. 20.—The discontent among German workmen is fast growing to proportions to seriously alarm the German government, according to advices reaching here today.

Soldiers have joined workingmen in forming an association which is virtually a Bolshevik organization.

In some quarters the belief is expressed that outbreaks approaching civil war may be possible.

High Cost Living
Probe is Begun

(International News Service)

Washington, Aug. 20.—The government has officially stepped in to inquire into the cost of living. A country wide investigation into the high cost of living has been begun by the department of labor, it was announced today.

Government agents will call on housewives and ask for information on the amount of money expended every year for household necessities. The information will be used in wage adjustments.

Huntsville Boasts
Three First Bales

(International News Service)

Huntsville, Ala., Aug. 20.—Three bales of cotton of the crop of 1918 have been brought here and sold. This is ten days earlier than the first bale was picked last year.

Retail food prices have increased 15 per cent in the last year and 50 per cent in the last 5 years, a statistical report shows. The greatest increase in the last year has been on beef and hens.

DISCUSSING THE BROWNING GUN



Mr. Browning, the inventor of the machine gun named for him, and Mr. Burton, the Winchester expert on rifles, discussing the fine points of the Browning light gun.

WALSH AND ROPER MAKE FULL REPORT TO LOCAL UNIONS

AT MASS MEETING TELL OF
SIGNING OF SOUTHEASTERN
AGREEMENT.

"Win the war, win the war!" was the admonition of S. E. Roper, vice president of the L. & N. system federation, and also of Jno. K. Walsh, secretary and treasurer of the same, in closing their speeches at the city hall last night, before a large company of their fellow craftsmen. All local railroad crafts had met to hear the official report of Messrs. Walsh and Roper on the effort made by the unions at Louisville last week, which happily ended in C. F. Giles, superintendent of machinery for the road signing what is known as "the southern agreement."

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PETROGRAD MOBS CLAMOR FOR BREAD; MANY ARE KILLED

(International News Service)

London, Aug. 20.—Terrible food riots have taken place in Petrograd, according to a dispatch from that city via Berlin and Amsterdam. Workmen paraded the streets shouting "away with the Germans. Away with the Kremlin!" Serious clashes resulted and there were hundreds of casualties. Martial law was proclaimed by the Bolsheviks.

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(International News Service)

Paris, Aug. 20.—(11:45.)—Pushing ahead along the line that Gen. Mangin launched his new offensive yesterday, French troops have captured the village of Vassens, the war office announced today. This village is 10 miles northwest of Soissons.

(International News Service)

London, Aug. 20.—Gen. Mangin's French army has captured Belle Fontaine and Courtil and advanced the allied lines four miles, the I. N. S. learned this afternoon.

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(International News Service)

London, Aug. 20.—Gen. Mangin attacked at 7:30 this morning on a 10-mile front and advanced to a maximum depth of two miles. The French are now only five miles from Noyon. The entire German line north of Soissons may be turned now, it is believed by military experts.

(International News Service)

Washington, Aug. 20.—Repulse of a German raid north of Toul with losses to the enemy is reported in a one-line communiqué from Gen. Pershing.

(International News Service)

London, Aug. 20.—Roye station has been occupied by the French, according to latest advices from the front. The capture of the city has not been announced.

(International News Service)

With the American Army on the Aisne-Vesle Front, Aug. 19.

(Night.)—The advance by Gen. Mangin's tenth French army north of the Aisne between Tracy le Val and Fontenoy has proved

a serious menace to the Crown Prince's line along the whole Vesle.

German 4-inch guns are harassing the roads in areas back of the French lines.

(International News Service)

Paris, Aug. 20.—"Hold Noyon and Lassigny at all costs."

This is the order that has been passed from German imperial headquarters to commanders at all points. The capture of the towns by the allies would force a speedy retreat of the Hun all along the Noyon front. The choicest of picked Bavarian troops

have been sent in to bolster up the fast weakening line. Prince Rupprecht is using up all of his "shock" troops he had reserved for the grand offensive, but the allied troops refuse to be denied

and are still sweeping onward.

(International News Service)

London, Aug. 20.—In a successful operation last night the British advanced their lines at Vieux Berquin, taking 182 prisoners. Further progress was reported between the Lawe and Lys rivers.

(International News Service)

London, Aug. 20.—Six German planes have been shot down by British aviators. One British plane was lost. Sixteen tons of bombs have been dropped behind the German lines.

(International News Service)

Bob Langston

JAPS IN CONTROL

OF RICE SUPPLY;

RIOTERS CURBED

(International News Service)

Washington, Aug. 20.—Japan has taken steps to end the rice riots.

Advices today indicate that the government is prepared to take over all stores of food. The rice had been cornered by the speculators, and this is the real reason why the rioting started.

Alabama Expected
to Register 3,305
Men August 24

(International News Service)

Washington, Aug. 20.—The revised list on the registration on August 24 of young men who have reached their 21st birthday since June 5 indicates a total enrollment of 158,011.

Of this number Alabama will register 3,305.

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M'ADOO BEFRIENDS THE TRAVELING PUBLIC.

The traveling public has a genuine friend in Wm. G. McAdoo, national director of railways, who has issued instructions to all railway employees demanding courtesy in the treatment of passengers. Mr. McAdoo's latest orders state specifically that "the public be damned" policy does not go under his administration, and that civility shall rule on all occasions.

An extract from the order follows:

For many years it was popularly believed that "the public be damned" policy was the policy of the railroads under private control. Such a policy is indefensible either under private control or government control. It would be particularly indefensible under public control when railroad employees are the direct servants of the public.

My attention has also been called to the fact that employees have sometimes availed themselves of an excuse for their own shortcomings, or as a justification for delayed trains or other difficulties the statement that "Uncle Sam is running the railroads now," or "These are McAdoo's orders."

Nothing could be more reprehensible than the statements of this character and nothing could be more harmful to the success of the railroad administration and to the welfare of the railroad employees themselves.

The old time railroad official, usually the station agent, was popularly supposed to be retained largely because of his brusqueness in dealing with the patrons of the line from which he received his salary check. He was haughty, curt, unaccommodating. Of late years, however, the crusty type has been largely replaced by affable and obliging men. Many railroads had stressed the fact that their agents should act more as the servants of the people and less as their masters. Government ownership had perhaps allowed some of the constitutional shirkers to relapse to their former ways, and it is these who are warned by Mr. McAdoo. Monopoly, backed by federal authority, is likely to become arrogant and arbitrary. This idea of "imposing their will" upon the helpless is the German philosophy, and Mr. McAdoo does not intend for the American railroad men to emulate the Kaiser or his subjects.

Home Guards, Attention!

You are hereby given notice to be at the Armory tonight at 8 o'clock, for drill.

B. L. MALONE, Major.

By R. T. SHEPPARD, Adjt.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends for their many thoughtful kindnesses, words of comfort and sympathy during the illness, death and burial of our precious little darling, Billy Eugene. We shall never forget you and your kindness. May God's richest blessings be with you all.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Thompson.

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DIZZINESS CAUSES FALL—HEAD INJURED

"A year ago my stomach bloated so badly with gas that I fell unconscious and cut my head badly on corner of door. I had suffered from stomach trouble for several years and no medicine helped me to speak of. A druggist patched up my head and advised me to use May's Wonderful Remedy for my stomach trouble. The results have been really wonderful. I have never had any sign of my former symptoms since." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

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HAS LEGS BROKEN SO HE CAN ENLIST

PATIENT AT U. P. I. SUBMITS TO UNUSUAL OPERATION TO FIT HIMSELF FOR ARMY.

(Baltimore News.)

Patriotism and a desire to serve their country have moved many men to submit to the knife of a surgeon in order to make themselves physically fit for military service, but not many would-be soldiers have had both legs broken and inclosed in plaster casts for weeks so that they might enlist.

This is the length to which Curtis Gover, 22 years old, of Albany, Ala., was willing to go in order to become a member of Uncle Sam's fighting forces. As a result he is now a patient in the Union Protestant Infirmary, both legs in plaster casts from his knees down. He has been there for some time and has several more weary weeks ahead of him before he can walk again without crutches.

Couldn't Keep Him Back.

Gover did not decide upon the operation without making every effort to get into the service with a pair of badly bowed legs—so bent were they that he could walk no great distance without becoming tired. But when the United States entered the war Gover determined that he would get to France.

"I reckon I tried most everything," he told a reporter for The News. "I tried the army and the navy and the aviation corps and everything else I could think of, and I tried 'em all more than once. I was examined 22 times altogether in different recruiting stations, and I passed every examination except for my legs.

"Even in the aviation corps I passed the examination. I told 'em I didn't have to have good legs to fly with, but they thought different, so they turned me down. Then I tried the marines again. Oh! yes, I'd tried 'em before in another station, and the surgeon said my legs let me out.

Suggested a Way.

"But the chap at the last place I tried was pretty nice. He sent me to Paris Island, S. C., for a week, and I went under another examination there. I passed all except for my legs. But the surgeon told me I could have 'em straightened if I was willing to go on the operating table. He said he knew a man in Baltimore who could do the work right, and so I came here."

The surgeon who operated on Mr. Gover declined to allow his name to be used in connection with the case. He said Mr. Gover's condition was thoroughly satisfactory and that in a comparatively short time the young man would be physically fit again.

"My brother is a captain in the Marine Corps," Gover explained, "and I think I'll go back to Paris Island to get in. I was going to Canada to try the Royal Flying Corps before the surgeon down there sent me to Baltimore.

Not a Chance To Be Drafted.

"Drafted? Not a chance! I was called up twice. The first time they turned me down, too, and the second time I was at Paris Island. Say, though, don't write me up much; write up that surgeon. He sure did a wonderful thing with my legs. He took the bones out of 'em and bent 'em straight for me. Write him up; don't say anything about me."

"Don't you think," he was asked, "that an example in patriotism like

yours is needed by some people?"

"Maybe that's right," was the response. "All right; go ahead, but don't forget to say what a wonderful operation that surgeon did."

Grove's Tasteful Chilli Tonic

destroys the malarial germs which are transmitted to the blood, by the Malaria Mosquito. Price 60¢.

The Decatur Hosiery Mills are now a permanently established institution which have the best interests of the Twin Cities at heart. We pay the highest piece work prices, some of our girls making from \$10 to \$15 per week. We will have openings from time to time for bright young ladies who are anxious to become skilled in a good paying and high-class line of work.

SADIE'S DIP SANS

BATHING SUIT COST \$5
(International News Service)

New York, Aug. 19.—Henry Cunningham, of College Point, wore a blushing which was twenty-four hours old and still showed no sign of fading when he arose in Flushing Court to explain just why he had caused the arrest of Sadie Forman, the defendant at the bar. He told his story in a whisper.

"So you mean to say that the woman went swimming from a public beach without a bathing suit?" summed up Magistrate Kochendorfer.

"I do," said Cunningham firmly. "Without a bathing suit and without, as near as I could see, anything else. She was on the sand at the foot of Eighth avenue, College Point, just—just standing there."

"What did you do?"

"Do? I went for a policeman. He went down to where she was and turned his back decently and told her to get ready so he could arrest her."

Sadie attempted no defense beyond remarking that the day certainly was a sizzling one, and could anybody deny it.

"I don't believe that such behavior is tolerated even in Africa," said the court, and announced that Sadie's dip would cost her \$5.

Alabama Trails in W. S. S. Drive

(International News Service)

Washington, Aug. 20.—In nine states the per capita subscription to war savings and thrift stamps has exceeded \$8, Secretary McAdoo announced today. The total sum spent by Americans for W. S. S. up to August 1, reached the enormous total of \$572,435,737.81. The state having the smallest per capita stamp subscription was Alabama, with \$2.08. The average throughout the United States was \$5.43.

Homer and Vernon Overton Wounded

News reached the city last night announcing the fact that Homer and Vernon Overton have been wounded and suffered shell shock in France. Homer Overton is the son of H. C. Overton of this city and Vernon is the son of the late D. D. Overton of this city.—Huntsville Times.

The two men reported as wounded are cousins of Claude Overton of the Daily force.

Householders Get Their Ice First

(International News Service)

Washington, Aug. 20.—Orders have been sent to all state and district food administrators that householder's ice needs are to be taken care of before those of other consumers.

VARDAMAN SAYS ELECTION SURE

(International News Service)

Vicksburg, Aug. 20.—That Vardaman will be elected over both opponents in the first primary is the forecast of the Vardaman campaign headquarters in Jackson at noon today. President Wilson's letter in which he stated that he would regard Vardaman's election as a condemnation of his administration has played a big part in the campaign. The election is being held today.

President Wilson Back at Capital

(International News Service)

Washington, Aug. 20.—President Wilson was back on the job today in excellent health and spirits, following his brief rest at Magnolia, Mass.

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AS USUAL

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DELITE AND STAR THEATRES WEDNESDAY

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Based on Ethel M. Kelley's absorbing novel, that has been read by millions—One of the most appealing pictures of the season.

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Personals and social items must be phoned to 682 before twelve o'clock, for afternoon publication.

MID MONTH MEETING OF THE MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH.

The mid month or social meeting of the Missionary Society of the Central Baptist Church was held with Mrs. Frank Cook Monday afternoon.

Vases of vari-colored flowers ornamented the reception hall and parlor.

The meeting was opened with the devotional lead by Miss Burleson, afterward a delightful program given as follows:

Round table, "God's Value of the Little Things," Mesdames W. T. Lowe, L. K. Wiggins, H. S. Roberts, Solo, "I Know," Mrs. W. T. Seaman.

Duet, Mesdames F. G. Cook, Mrs. Walter H. Todd.

Solo, "My Task," Mrs. W. H. Todd. At the conclusion of the program delicious ices were served, Mrs. Mead Vaughn assisting.

Miss Fannie Johnson who has been attending the summer term of the School of Expression at Asheville, N. C. is now at Mt. Mitchell where she will remain until her return to Decatur. Mrs. Curry, dean of the school pronounced Miss Johnson's work as exceptionally good, showing breadth of understanding and professional dramatic ability. Miss Johnson will open her studio in the Albany schools at the beginning of the regular school term and in addition to teaching expression will offer gymnastics and rhythmic steps, so beneficial to children and adults.

BRIDGE FOR BRIDE-ELECT.

Wednesday afternoon Miss Mary Grace Saunders will entertain at bridge in compliment to Miss Margaret Curry, a bride-elect of September.

This is but the beginning of the many recherche affairs planned for this very attractive young girl.

DANCE FOR VISITOR

Miss Bessie Transue was hostess at a dance at Trinity mountain Monday evening, in compliment to Miss Streithof of Indiana, the guest of the Misses Holtman.

KNITTING UNIT NO. 1, MRS. H. T. GILL HOSTESS.

Knitting Unit No. 1 will meet Wednesday with Mrs. H. T. Gill instead of Mrs. S. M. Thompson.

Miss Gertrude Bivens has returned to Nashville after visiting relatives here.

Mrs. W. E. Odom and baby of the Tri Cities are visiting friends and relatives in Albany.

Mrs. Jno. Minor, Jr., is at Florence for a two weeks visit to her mother, Mrs. Margaret Sommers.

Mrs. Luke Pryor of Harris was in the city Monday.

Miss Kirk Baker who has been teaching summer school at Florence has returned to Trinity.

Miss Louise Lile is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. F. Boswell of Decatur.

Miss Clarice Lee is the guest of relatives at Hartsville.

Miss Rosa Belle Young has returned from Florence where she attended summer school.

Misses Lucile and Sue Lile of Leighton are the expected guests of Miss Stella Sewell of Trinity.

The Misses Archibald have returned to Birmingham after a visit to Miss Emma Sue Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sneed of Mt. Hope are expected guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sneed, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cline, Jr., of Sheffield are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cline.

Mrs. M. Staut left yesterday for San Francisco, Cal., where she will accept a position with the Globe Milling Co., of Los Angeles, Cal.

PERSONALS

Captain Hal W. Long, who was called home by the death of his father, Dr. W. H. Long, returned today to Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga.

J. J. Burke left today for a business trip through Lawrence county.

James L. McGar has returned to Camp Pike after spending a ten-day furlough with relatives here.

W. A. Carden was called from the Nitrate Cities by the illness of Mrs. Carden.

W. A. Curry left Monday for Clanton, Ala., to enjoy a week of hunting and fishing.

Lieut. R. E. Britnell left last night for Camp Lewis, Olympia, Wash., after a visit to his sister, Mrs. W. M. Chenault.

Jno. S. Minor was here today enroute to his home at Moulton from Elkmont Springs.

F. F. Linderman returned to Birmingham today after a visit to relatives.

S. O. Nelson and son, S. O. Jr., and daughter, Eula, left today for a tour through the west.

NOTICE.

A meeting of all County and District Sunday School officers is called at the Baptist Church, Hartselle, Ala., next Saturday at 2 p. m., August 24th, 1918.

A special invitation is extended to the ministers. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss plans for better Sunday school work.

J. C. TIDWELL,
President.
MRS. HERMAN L. TURNER,
Secretary.

Prohibition Amendment Comes Up Monday

(International News Service) Washington, Aug. 20.—Passage of the prohibition amendment to the agriculture bill by the middle of next week with a margin of 15 votes to spare was predicted by dry leaders in the Senate today. The amendment will be called up for action Monday, under the Senate agreement, but may be laid aside temporarily.

"AVOID WEDDINGS AND CUT OUT ROMANCE" SAYS NEW CREED EXPONENT
(International News Service)

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 19.—

"Throw away the marriage service! Eliminate the minister! Acquaint yourself with the prospective groom by going through some trial as a test, such as of sickness or of association. Base selection on congeniality. Remain independent. Cut out sentimental romance. Use common sense. Avoid justices of the peace, relatives, weddings. Marry by mutual legal contract acceptable to both parties."

These are some of the ideas of Mrs. T. F. Canavan, formerly Mrs. Madge Wall, as expressed to newspaper reporters following the filing with the recorder of deeds at the Jackson county court house of a legal con-

tract binding herself and her husband to be known as married until "the union is dissolved."

Mrs. Canavan's first marriage was a failure, she declared. After the separation she met Mr. Canavan, and he befriended her during the long sickness and death of her son.

The couple met two years ago. The contract was drawn up last spring, but not filed until the husband had to leave for the east to look after some government contract work. The wife is working in a local printing office.

AMUSEMENTS

THE WORLD FOR SALE

AT THE MASONIC TODAY

A story that breathes the very essence of the out-of-doors and the charm of gypsy lore, together with

a love story of unusual interest is Sir Gilbert Parker's "The World for Sale," which was chosen by J. Stuart Blackton for his first release since transferring his activities to Paramount.

The scenes are laid in Canada and deal with the feud between two small townships, one a French Canadian, the other strongly English, as well as with the adventures of Max Ingolby, who is one of the three men in love with charming Fledruse, the heroine. How he wins out although handicapped by the temporary loss of his eyesight and the deep hatred of his two rivals, makes a thrilling photoplay which will linger in the memory as a fragrant wholesome breeze from Romany itself. "The World for Sale" is to be shown on today at the Masonic Theatre.

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